

In the specification:

Please replace page 1, lines 20-28, first paragraph of the BACKGROUND OF INVENTION as follow:

The present invention relates generally to a programming tool that is designed to interface between programmers and computers. According to the understanding of a person having ordinary knowledge in the art, a programming tool, as described herein, is defined as a "tool", a "machine", or any structure that enables a programmer to write different programs for a computing device. This programming tool ~~is also referred as~~ supports a programming method that makes allows a programmer to make extensive use of tables as a mean to represent the logical thinking of a programmer reflected in a program written by this programming tool, and enabling the programming process easily to be understood by third parties. As further described in the specification herein, the definition of programming tool also includes different programming tool structures that are local or remote from the computing device to be programmed by a programmer. Thus, these improvements enhance the efficiency of programming, reduce the likelihood of the presence of program bugs or structural errors. In addition, the training cost required for a programmer to learn the programming method is minimal. The resulting programs composed with the invented method also will be easy to be read and to be maintained by any programmer.